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CENTRAL BANK
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Irvington's "town monument" was built in 1917, just prior to the beginni of World War I, by R. A. Griffin of Irvington, and his brother, Lee, who was killed in the war. ~~The~~ Griffin is a great-grandson of Timothy Rix, Irvington's first postmaster. The monument was ~~mix~~ financed by the Chamber of Commerce and was constructed to slow traffic at the three-stre intersection, Broadway, Mission and Bay Streets. A local child was killed just prior to the civic group's decision to erect the marker.

At the left (back of bank) is the old Mack house, built 1861, first two-story home in Irvington.

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FREMONT — Though it's battered, chipped and bruised, the old Irvington monument has at least one admiring friend.

The "friend" is Gordon B. Lindsey, a Centerville district funeral director, who said today he'd be glad to give the city $1 for the damaged, but not forgotten, spire.

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